GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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BUILDINGS FOR WORKSHOP ETC. IN AIIMS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether buildings for new workshop, laundary, Trauma Centre, Rotary Cancer Institute and New Emergency Department have been constructed in the All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the expenditure incurred thereon;

(c) whether these buildings are being used entirely for the patients by the Institute;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE(DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS)

(a) to (e): The position relating to construction of various buildings and the expenditure incurred in AIIMS, New Delhi is as under:-
Laundry and Workshop

The combined building of Laundry and Workshop has been completed in September 2002 at an approximate cost of Rs.4.00 crore. The part of the building occupied by the Central Workshop is fully functional, the building meant for laundry has not yet been put to use due to non-availability of electrical load from NDMC and procurement of new laundry equipment. The supply order for procurement of laundry equipment has already been placed.

Jai Prakash Trauma Centre

The Trauma Centre at AIIMS, New Delhi was taken up in January 2002. As per the original plan, it was scheduled to be completed by February 2004 and further three months for commissioning of facility. However, during a mid-term review, it was decided to increase the scope of work. There is, therefore, an escalation in the cost. The Expenditure Finance Committee (EFC) has approved the revised proposals and the same is being submitted for seeking approval of the competent authority. The Trauma Centre will be operational within 6 months from the date of approval of the competent authority. Rs.41.49 crore have been incurred for the construction of the building and the revised cost estimates for the project is Rs.138.53 crore (approx.).

Expansion of Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Institute Rotary Cancer Hospital

The building of Dr. B.R.Ambedkar Insitute Rotary Cancer Hospital at AIIMS is complete. Four floors of the building with 96 beds are fully functional and the remaining three floors will be functional within 6 months after approval of revised EFC. The revised cost estimates during the Xth Plan are Rs.98.41 crore (approx.)
New Emergency Block

The project of new Emergency Block which was envisaged earlier was shelved with the construction of the Trauma Centre at AIIMS. No expenditure has been incurred till date on the said work.